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ACTING SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, ADVISED DCM THAT FOR TACTICAL DOMESTIC POLITICAL REASONS MINISTER OF TRANSPORT NIXON HAD DECIDED THAT IT WOULD BE BEST TEMPORARILY DEFER SIGNATURE OF OMEGA AGREEMENT. HENDERSON SAID SNAGS IN THE UNION AREA, WHICH PEOPLE HAD THOUGHT WERE SETTLED, WOULD HAVE TO BE CLEARED UP, AND IT WAS THOUGHT POLITICALLY MORE EXPEDIENT TO GET THE UNIONS "ON SIDE" BEFORE SIGNING THE AGREEMENT.

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